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PRESS MEMORANDUM

May 27, 1955

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

The Governor has vetoed House Bill 662, by Schwartz, relating to the regulation of the sale of shellfish. The Governor said he had been advised by the Attorney General that "the terms of this bill are so vague, indifferent and ambiguous that they do not sufficiently inform a person in advance of what acts are criminal and therefore the bill violates Article I, Section 10 of the Constitution, which guarantees every citizen the right to know the nature and character of an accusation made against him."